

OR MEN SUBMIT EASILY TO U. S. BAN

Single Organized Pro-
test Made Against Five-
Mile Closing Order

WASHINGTON, March 13.—A strange phenomenon is disclosed by the result of Secretary Daniels' order closing the saloons within a five-mile radius of permanent training camps, which goes into effect next Monday.

Not a single organized protest has been received by the department against the enactment of the law. The only movement that could be classed as a protest was the reception of a committee of Annapolis saloon men, headed by their congressman, which asked for a hearing in time order to close out their business.

As far as is known there is but one saloon affected by this order, and its owner did not protest the order, but issued in a roundabout manner in the form of a letter to the department, the manufacture of beer and its sale to private families in the city. He was informed that the brewery would have to close its doors unless it complied with the order. A high official remarked upon this seeming indifference upon the part of the saloon keepers, and stated that two years ago it would have been impossible to have issued such an order without delegations of indignant citizens descending upon Washington, pages of advertising in the daily press protesting the action, mysterious visits of influential politicians and a general alarm throughout the liquor industry.

The question now is being asked: "Have the liquor interests lost heart and quit or do they submit through patriotic impulses, realizing that their traffic near military training places is bad business for the country?"

U. S. TO FIGHT EVICTION OF SERVICE MEN'S KIN

Kane Begins Inquiry to Determine Status of Soldiers' Relatives Under Law

United States authorities are determined to prevent constables from taking legal action against families of soldiers now in service when they fall behind in their rent and other household bills. District Attorney Kane made this clear today when he began an investigation to determine to what lengths he may go in his proposed course.

His action follows the protest made to him by Mrs. Everett Perry, 2421 North Clinton street, wife of a soldier, now in service, who, with two small children, struggled along unable to meet her rent because the Government fell behind in the allotment checks due her.

Although the amount was only \$22, Gustav Kopp, twenty-eight year old constable, retained by L. L. Detweiler, Twelfth and Diamond streets, to make collection, tried to sell her household effects and is alleged to have threatened her.

Despite the act of Assembly of 1916, which declares that civil process shall be brought against any person who interferes with the service of the Government or of the United States during so much of the term as he shall be in active service under orders not until thirty days after he shall be relieved therefrom. Constable Kopp says, so far as he is concerned, every family unable to meet rental will be evicted, whether they serve their country or not.

"What if I do evict a soldier's family? Take this from me: I don't care who they are—soldiers or sailors, or any one else—if they don't pay their rent, I'll evict them. I don't care if they are men and out the family goes, the constable said.

"I don't regret anything I do," he said. "For the laws of the State say if you don't pay your rent, out goes the family. I don't want to sell any soldier's household goods, but it is the money I am after. Sympathy and things like that are all right, but do not enter into the question."

NEW SHAKE-UP NEAR IN BRITISH CABINET

Chamberlain May Succeed Balfour as Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs

LONDON, March 13.—A crisis seems imminent in the British cabinet and Secretary Balfour's resignation is indicated by the newspapers. It is reported that Premier Lloyd George by mentioning J. Austen Chamberlain as Mr. Balfour's successor, has indicated that he is ready to resign as Secretary of State for India on account of the scandal in Mesopotamia.

Secretary Balfour's interview of Mr. Lloyd George with the King gives color to the story that he is closely connected with the rumored reconstruction of the Government.

Law is said to be anxious to resign the chancellorship of the Exchequer, despite his success in that position. Some people think Home Secretary Sir George Cave is in the running for the next Premiership, like his predecessors. He is a lawyer and is regarded as a "safe" man. Lord Curzon has no substantial following, but his letter being accepted as showing his essential inability to comprehend German ambition and ruthlessness.

URGENT CRY FOR SHIPS COMES FROM FRANCE

Read to Philomusian Club
French Are "Greatly Depressed" at Conditions

"Ships will win the war" is the belief of the French, says Mrs. M. Church, in a series of letters read before the Current Affairs Club today at its meeting in the Philomusian Club. Mrs. Church is stationed at Ville Aumont in France, close to the firing line. She has been "over there" since the outbreak of the war, and has seen the state of mind of the French from the inside. She is "greatly depressed" because of their failure to figure out how to win the war. She says that the French are "greatly depressed" because of their failure to figure out how to win the war. She says that the French are "greatly depressed" because of their failure to figure out how to win the war.

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CATHOLICS ENLISTED IN BIG-BROTHER PLAN

Movement to Be Launched Tonight at Philopatrian Club Has Wide Scope

Every man connected with the Catholic Church and who is not affiliated with any of the branches of the United States fighting forces will be asked to be a Big Brother to one boy in a movement that will be launched tonight at the Philopatrian Club, 1411 Arch street. The project is under the joint auspices of the Catholic Children's Bureau and the Big Brother Association.

For several days prominent Catholic leaders from as far west as San Francisco and from the large cities of the East have been conferring with the Rev. Fr. Griesbach, of Chicago, who is a Jesuit father, on plans to make an organization effective along the lines now followed by the Big Brother movement of the Y. M. C. A.

According to information handed out by the committee arranging the new organization, statistics show that there is in Europe a great increase in juvenile delinquency, and already this same condition has been shown in our own States. To keep the boy right as one of the main factors in a better nation is in the minds and hearts of the men working toward a healthy start at tonight's session.

Michael J. Slattery, president of the Catholic Young Men's National Union, is chairman of the committee arranging the meeting. Other members of the committee are Charles F. Gerhard, president Catholic Young Men's Association; Thomas J. Murphy, president Holy Name Union; Joseph Burke, secretary Holy Name Union; Michael J. McCullough, Assistant District Attorney; Frank A. Mulhern, president Philopatrian Club, and George W. Casey, secretary of the Big Brother Association.

WOMEN TILLERS OF THE SOIL TO TRAIN

Feminine Land Army to Take Courses in Every Branch of Horticulture

Training courses in war farming for women, to supply the needed officers for the women's land army, have been mapped out by the School of Horticulture for Women at Ambler.

Many prominent Philadelphia women are interested in the project, which will be the twelve-week course on April 8 to train women to lead recruits in raising war crops. A series of conference luncheons at the Art Alliance will be launched next Saturday, at which Mrs. Edward Biddle, president of the Civic Club and a director of the school, will preside. She will be assisted by Mrs. Edwin C. Gries, chairman of the central committee; the alumnae of the school and the women reception committee; Mrs. William W. Haines, chairman; Mrs. Thomas Newhall, Mrs. William W. Frazier, Jr., Miss Nina Lea, Mrs. Horatio Gates Lloyd and Mrs. Harrison S. May.

The courses aim to equip the officers who will train the raw recruits. Lieutenant courses will include vegetable gardening, fruit growing, canning and preserving, and a general course in poultry rearing.

A captain's course will include the war course in vegetable gardening, fruit growing, canning and preserving, and a general course in poultry rearing. The school property consists of seventy-one acres, about twenty acres of which are used for horticulture and vegetable growing, and the remainder is used for fruit growing, canning and preserving, and a general course in poultry rearing.

DRAFT NEWS BOOMS NAVAL RECRUITING

New Force Engaged to Handle Rush of Applicants at Headquarters Here

Enlistment in the United States Naval Reserve has received an added impetus by announcement of the second draft ruling. News that 800,000 would probably be called started hundreds of men and women to college and office of all trades and professions, toward the recruiting station at Gray's Ferry road and Twenty-third street.

An extra complement of men had to be engaged to handle the crowds that were expected to come to the station. No announcement has been made by the Government relative to the number of men to be recruited for the navy reserve, all of whom must be furnished with letters from their respective draft boards authorizing their enlistment. It is expected that after a few thousand have been accepted from the Fourth Naval District, which includes parts of New York and Delaware, with Pennsylvania and New Jersey, recruiting in this branch of the service will again be stopped.

CAPTAIN W. C. FREW DEAD

Veteran of Civil War and Justice of Peace for Thirty Years

Lancaster, Pa., March 13.—Captain William C. Frew, retired cavalryman, died yesterday in his home, aged seventy-seven years. For thirty years he was justice of the peace in Paradise township, was a school director for eighteen years and for eight years served as deputy coroner.

He enlisted as a private in Company D, Second Pennsylvania Cavalry, and was promoted to corporal the same year. In 1861 he was made quartermaster sergeant and later was commissioned as captain of Company G, Second Cavalry. He was taken prisoner in December, 1862, and sent to Libby Prison. In 1864 he was wounded at St. Mary's Church, Va., and in July, 1864, he was mustered out of service and returned to his home in this county.

He was a member of Paradise Lodge, No. 163, Knights of Pythias; Paradise Lodge, I. O. O. F. No. 161, for more than fifty years; Washington Lodge of Masons, No. 100, and was a member of the United Veterans' Legion, and George H. Thomas Post, No. 84, G. A. R.

HOPE TO SAVE VESSEL
Experts Say Stranded Susquehanna Soon Will Be in Service

Headed Park, N. J., March 13.—That the freight steamer Susquehanna, which stranded here during a late Thursday night, not only will be floated but can be put into service again was the declaration made yesterday by experts who made a careful examination of the beached vessel.

A wrecking crew has begun unloading the cargo preparatory to making an attempt to float the vessel.

PHILADELPHIANS' WAR WORK CARRIES THEM CLOSE TO FRONT IN FRANCE



In a French hospital directly behind the battle line Mrs. Morris Parrish, a Philadelphian, is nursing severely wounded soldiers. The photograph to the left shows Mrs. Parrish, who is Miss Frances D. Wallace, of Boston, before her marriage to Morris Parrish, of this city, from whom she is separated, at the bedside of a French soldier who has lost both his arms. The photograph was taken on his twentieth birthday. The photograph to the right shows Alfred Barton, widely known Philadelphian, with Count Jean de Beauvais, with whom he is associated in Red Cross work in France. Mr. Barton, the taller figure, when in Philadelphia won several prizes at the Plays and Players' Club, of which he is a member. His play, "The Barber," was given last week by members of the club.

GERMANS ROB FRENCH PRISONERS OF HELMETS

Headgear Is Then Sold to the Public for \$10 Each

Paris, March 13.—The latest development of German practices in the way of petty ill treatment of French prisoners is now revealed by Henry Gail, of the Chamber of Deputies. M. Gail says that in one prison camp in Germany French officers have recently been ordered to hand over their military caps and helmets to be sold to the public at \$10 each. Several hundred would-be buyers presented themselves at the camp in order to buy the caps. But few were able to buy, as most of the officers had succeeded in destroying their caps and helmets. In consequence, the officers found guilty have been fined \$10 for each cap destroyed.

M. Gail also says that, despite the German assertion, so-called reprisal punishments have been abolished, barley and corn flour soup is still served to the prisoners. But these punishments have been passed from room to room, successfully for the officers to help themselves from them.

Another characteristic refusal of the Germans to allow officers or men to cook beans, rice and other foodstuffs sent from home.

SHERIFF SELLS \$250,000 BREWERY FOR \$1

Atlantic City Plant Goes to Satisfy \$1500 Judgment Against the Company

Atlantic City, March 13.—"Kuehnle's White Elephant," the \$250,000 plant of the defunct Atlantic City Brewing Company, one of the contributing causes to the financial tribulations of Atlantic City's old-time boss, has been sold under the hammer by Sheriff Perdue for \$1. The sale was held to satisfy a judgment for \$1500 obtained by Whitney & Kemmerer, coal dealers of Philadelphia, against the brewing plant. The plant, which was expected to be a bonanza years ago when shore liquor dealers took "Kuehnle's beer," was bought in by trustees for Kuehnle's creditors. Through the sale they assume responsibility for a mortgage of \$150,000 and a bonded debt of approximately \$100,000. With Kuehnle's overthrow as a political event, which was expected to be a year, and most of the machinery is junk. The ill-fated venture is said to have cost Kuehnle altogether more than \$300,000.

DENTIST'S DEATH MYSTERY

Police Probe Case of Wealthy New York Recluse

New York, March 13.—The mysterious death of Dr. Henry P. Osborn, who was said to be the owner of valuable property in Connecticut and New Jersey, is being investigated by the police here today.

Dr. Osborn, who was found dead in the doorway of his apartment, was a recluse by his neighbors. His office, which he maintained in the practice of dentistry, were handsomely appointed and offered a view said to have slept on the floor and cooked his meals.

According to acquaintances of the dead man, he was the owner of three small farms in Connecticut, on one of which was a waterfalls valued at \$10,000. Property owned by Dr. Osborn near Newark has increased greatly in value since the war, owing to shipbuilding activities.

Freshmen Hold Sophomore Captive

Lancaster, Pa., March 13.—After being tied in a barn in the country with heavy ropes for five hours yesterday, William Roeder, president of the sophomore class of Franklin and Marshall College, was released last night by freshmen who kidnapped him in the afternoon, dressed him in a green suit and made him speak before crowds in the business section of the city. He was turned loose after the sophomore banquet had ended.

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HONOR TO ST. PATRICK ON PASSION SUNDAY

Hibernians Will Unfurl Service Flag With 535 Stars at Headquarters

St. Patrick's Day and Passion Sunday will both be observed next Sunday. The Ancient Order of Hibernians will observe the day with a celebration in which they will pay tribute to the United States and Ireland.

A gigantic service flag will be raised at the organization's headquarters, 1606 North Broad street, with patriotic ceremonies. The flag will bear 535 stars, showing the number of members from the organization in this city who are now fighting with Uncle Sam's forces.

Addresses at the flag raising ceremony will be delivered by Rear Admiral Tappan, Monsignor Gerald P. Coghlan, county chaplain; Judge Bonniwell, of the Municipal Court; Judge Kephart, Patrick J. McGarvey, county president, and Joseph McLaughlin, national president, who will preside. The ceremonies will be preceded by a parade in which the Marine Band, the Boy Scouts and other organizations will participate. Captain Thomas E. O'Neill will be marshal.

THREE MINDS TOPPLE IN WORRY OVER WAR

Russian and Austrian Women and an American Boy Unbalanced by World Conflict

Their minds unbalanced by their efforts to follow the course of the war events, two women—a Russian and an Austrian—and an American boy, all residents of Gloucester, N. J., have within a few days either been committed to asylums for the insane or are on the way to such an institution.

The Russian is Martha Fay, twenty-three years old, wife of Michael Fay, of 840 Bergen street, who was taken to Trenton today by Detective Harvey.

The Austrian is Mary Skrak, of 871 Cumberland street, who is under observation in the Camden County jail.

The American is Edward Hollows, of 191 Middlesex street, who has been sent to Blackwood by court authority.

NO PAROLE FOR REITMAN

Free-Love and Birth-Control Advocate Must Serve Sentence

Chicago, March 13.—Dr. Ben L. Reitman, erstwhile advocate of free love and one-time associate of Emma Goldman, will leave here on Sunday for Cleveland to begin his sentence of six months, at Warrenville, for circulating birth-control literature. Doctor Reitman drew a fine of \$1000 and six months in jail several months ago.

According to a telegram he has today from his lawyer in Cleveland, the parole board has refused to consider his plea for a parole until he has begun to serve his sentence.

Doctor Reitman is on the staff of the Frodo Hospital here.

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TURK UNDER SCRUTINY PROVES ARDENT ALLY

Wounds and French Army Discharge Prove Loyalty of Mohammed Abdullah

Mohammed Abdullah for a time today felt worse than his name. His patriotism sagged in the middle. In view of his experience, he could not be blamed if he became temporarily luke warm in this respect. Although he had an honorable discharge from the French Government and souvenirs in the shape of six bullet wounds to show his sympathy with the Allies, Abdullah was arrested for straggling along the riverfront.

He looked every inch a warrior. A red fedora, a straight black hair and a pointed beard and right-angled mustache gave an added touch to his fierce-looking countenance. But it was his copper-colored skin that attracted a captor at Fine street wharf more than anything else. He saw Abdullah roaming along the wharf and brought him to the Third and Da Laney streets station.

Although he could not speak English, Abdullah concluded that the war had something to do with his arrest. He was not aware of the fact that he had invaded the zone in which transshipping was forbidden by the Government.

TWO GAIN COMMISSIONS

Henry C. Sangree and Samuel O. Wynne Reserve Corps Officers

Word was received here today that two Philadelphians were among those appointed officers of the United States army reserve corps by Adjutant General McLean.

They are Henry C. Sangree, of the Pennsylvania Hospital, who has been commissioned first lieutenant in the medical corps, and Samuel O. Wynne, of the executive council of the Navy Auxiliary, at the home of Mrs. E. T. Stoenbury, 1925 Walnut street. Commander E. B. Payne, explained how "Hunish malle" had sought to undermine the work of the organization by the spreading of such reports.

HUNS SEEK TO STOP WORK ON NAVY SWEATERS

Attempt to Halt Click of the Needles Abortive

Seek he Hun, if you hear rumors that American sailors are amply supplied with sweaters and other comforts, and that patriotic needles may now stop knitting.

Such reports are false and represent just one more invidious outworking of "Hun galle," as was explained at a meeting of the executive council of the Navy Auxiliary, at the home of Mrs. E. T. Stoenbury, 1925 Walnut street. Commander E. B. Payne, explained how "Hunish malle" had sought to undermine the work of the organization by the spreading of such reports.

Police to Keep Eye on Parked Autos

Superintendent of Police Robinson has ordered policemen to keep a special watch on motor vehicles parked in the streets. Any person seen loitering near parked motors will be required to give an account of himself. Careful attention is to be given loaded vehicles because of frequent robberies of truckloads of merchandise.

SOCIALISTS DENOUNCE FINLAND INTERVENTION

German Newspaper Declares People Are Awakening From Their Illusions

Washington, March 13.—The Leipzig Volks Zeitung, independent Socialist organ, has condemned German intervention in Finland as essentially as it did the treaty of peace signed with Russia, according to an official dispatch received here from Berlin.

"Germany," it says, "has been called to Finland by the middle and capitalist classes of that country. Just as she sent her troops to crush the revolution in Livonia, Estonia and Ukraine, she has, in turn, marched against the Finnish nation."

Thus the German Government has revealed itself. When it talks about desiring the liberty and progress of the world we shall know that it means the liberty and progress of soldiers have carried to Finland. The German working class will not forget that the entire German middle class approved in this instance the action of the Imperial Government.

German Socialists are awakening from their illusions and are beginning to realize that they have been instrumental in promoting the imperialistic designs of Prussia, according to the Socialist deputy, Hermann Wendt.

According to the Berlin advice, Wendt wrote in the Frankfurter Volks Stimme:

"After this peace with Russia, which the negotiators of Petrograd have signed without turning away their faces from their eyes after the peace with Rumania, snatched with the knife held at her throat, what remains of the five words about a peace of conciliation, about the right of nations to dispose of themselves, about disarmament, the last of the nations? What remains of it all except a useless noise and a little smoke?"

WOMAN GUARDED BY U. S. IN NEWEST SPY INQUIRY

Leader in New York Society and Foreigner Are Said to Be Tangled in Plot

New York, March 13.—Reports that the Government is on the verge of sensational discoveries in justifying an arrest or even official investigation today. There is no doubt that something is in the wind, but very few details can be published at this time. John L. O'Brien, in charge of day hunting for the Department of Justice, returned to Washington today apparently satisfied with his conferences with Charles H. de Woody, of the department's staff, and other members of the United States Attorney's office.

Two women are under surveillance here. Thus far there is no evidence justifying an arrest or even official investigation. One of the women is an American of social standing in New York, the other is said to be Turkish. Both are living in uptown hotels. At least one of them has a suite for which the Government is paying, the woman having been persuaded that the most tactful thing she can do is to stay right where she is, as she has been watched every moment since her arrival in this country a short time ago.

Each day for several days an agent for the Department of Justice has escorted one of the women to the office of Mr. de Woody for long interviews. She is dark, about forty years old, speaks French fluently and is believed to be the Turkish woman mentioned.

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WOULD CLOSE PLANTS TO SPEED FARM WORK

Assistant Agriculture Secretary Advocates 15 Workless Days in Cities

Washington, March 13.—Fifteen workless days in all non-essential industries, to release men for the farm planting, was advocated today by Assistant Secretary of Agriculture Ousley before the Senate Agriculture Committee.

Ousley said the fifteen days could be distributed over a period of several weeks, thereby releasing a large number of men when the labor shortage is acutely felt.

Ousley told the committee it might be necessary for the Government to take over farming work before we win the war.

He made this statement in reply to a question of Senator Gore regarding the situation in England. Ousley declared that he believed England was virtually conducting the farming business.

The salvation of the season's crops depends, in a large degree, on enlisting labor from the cities, he said. Ousley declared that many prosperous residents of the large cities were unwilling to sacrifice the conveniences they were accustomed to. Business men who have had experience on farms should close their doors certain days a week and work at agricultural pursuits, he declared. Women, too, could be useful in many lines of farm work.

"The problem from now on is a labor problem," he said. "The Government is patriotic and willing to do all they can without undue sacrifice."

Ousley said there would be a considerable increase in wheat acreage and the prospects were good, except in certain districts in the Southwest that had suffered from drought.

He opposed price-fixing in the future.

Charged With First-Degree Murder

Lancaster, Pa., March 13.—District Attorney Hostetler just night brought a charge of murder in the first degree against Adam Henry, of Barnesville, Berks county, as a result of the death of Joseph Rupp, of Farmersville, who died from the effects of a blow dealt by Henry on February 8. Henry is in the Lancaster County jail.

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